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re the Application of:

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For:

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EFFECTIVELY CARRYING OUT VERIFICATION OF CONNECTION

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## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Director to the U.S. PTO P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

November 17, 2004

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated May 17, 2004 for three (3) months from September 17, 2004 until November 17, 2004.

A check in the amount of Nine Hundred and Eighty Dollars (\$980.00) to cover the cost of the extension fee is enclosed. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 01-2300 referencing Attorney Docket No.100021-00074.

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